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from 75c to \$3.00. Men's all wool (Mayfield) pants, positive-
ly the best pant ever sold for the money, only 1.00
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ond-class matter.

Marble Hill News.

Religious Services.

Rev. H. W. Marshall, pastor, will preach
at the Presbyterian church, Marble Hill,
morning and evening the first and third Sab-
baths of each month, at Whitewater and Al-
bion the second Sabbath and at Cornwall
the fourth Sabbath.

MARBLE HILL CIRCUIT.

Rev. Mr. Dodson, pastor of the Marble
Hill circuit, has made the following regular
appointments:

First Sunday—Hahn's chapel, 10:30 a.m.
and 7 p.m.; Bethel, 7 p.m.
Second Sunday—Hickory Grove, 10:30 a.m.
Gravel Hill, 3 p.m.; Burfordville, 7 p.m.
Third Sunday—Hickory Grove, 10:30 a.m.
Ebenezer, 3 p.m.; Hahn's chapel, 7 p.m.
Fourth Sunday—Gravel Hill, 10:30 a.m.
Fairview, 3 p.m.; Cedar Fork, 7 p.m.

The Congregational Methodists will
hold a ministerial meeting with Cross Roads
church, beginning Thursday before the fifth
Sunday in January next. An interesting
program has been prepared and will appear in
this paper in a short time.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Ed. Stevens has returned from Texas.

A full line of school supplies at Robert
Drum's.

Albert Jenkins of Jackson was in town
Sunday.

Read the ad of Wood, Snider & Co.,
Jackson, Mo.

The season for shooting quail ends
December 31.

To keep comfortable one of the George
E. Clark stoves is just the thing.

Don't forget that it will be unlawful to
kill quail after the first of January.

Courtesy conveyed Monday. See
proceedings in to-day's Press.

Mrs. Henry Berry is again on the sick
list. She certainly has a hard time.

For real genuine bargains call on
Wood, Snider & Co., Jackson.

W. G. Kitchen of Marquand is another
old friend who remembered us this week.

This Press wishes its readers a merry
Christmas and happy New Year.

The very inclement weather caused a
small attendance at county court Monday.

Mr. Greer of Brownwood made us an
agreeable social and business visit Mon-
day.

John Steiner of Leopold, a substan-
tial young farmer, was a Press visitor
this week.

There are some cases of measles in
this vicinity. As it is not of a virulent
form a little care is all that is necessary.

We are sorry to learn that "Uncle"
Billy Jones is very sick. We hope to
see him out again soon.

Read the advertisement of Wood, Snider &
Co., the big Jackson Merchants. They
advertise and give bargains and sell goods.

Robert Vuganup of Leopold has our
thanks for favors. We sent him an al-
manac this week.

If you want any kind of a stove go to
George E. Clark & Son Hardware com-
pany and find stock and price to suit you.

Hon. J. P. E. Austin of Gravel Hill
was in town this week and made this of-
fice a pleasant business visit.

Mrs. Hope, an estimable lady and one of
the teachers of the Jackson public school,
fell on the ice last Sunday and died of her
injuries.

Our old friend Jeff Cook of Sedgewick-
ville was in to see us this week. He is
always right with this Press.

When you come to town and get hun-
gry go to see James Portis. He is fully
prepared to give you the best in the mar-
ket.

Robert Drum is selling goods. Don't
take us word for it, but just step into
his big store and see the crowds and the
merchandise they carry away.

When Wood, Snider & Co. of Jackson
get ready to take stock they make terri-
ble cuts in price. See their ad in this
issue.

What can heal a wounded heart?
Is there ought to soothe that smart
Yea; though sadly we may rue it,
New-new clothes will sometimes do it.

Wanted—A buyer for a restaurant and
grocery store with an old and established
trade. Will sell cheap. All health and
change of location reason for selling. Ap-
ply at this office for particulars.

In Christmas Land.

Is the beams and gleams, cause the Christ-
mas dreams.

To the little children there,
And hand in hand, to the Christmas land—
'Neath the Christmas skies so fair,
They went away in a magic sleigh
That tinkled with silver bells,
Over the white of the snow, one night,
Where the King of the Christmas dwells.

They saw him marshal his soldiers small,
In beautiful, bright brigades;
At the tap of the drum they saw them come
With guns and glittering blades,
The little soldiers were made of tin,
With painted coats of red,
And they drilled away, with their banners
gay.

By a cute little captain led:
But alas for the King of the Christmas land
And the march that his soldiers made!
For the dolls were dressed in their very best—
O the dolls were on dress parade!
And they smiled so sweet at the soldiers
brave—
Each beautiful fairy doll,
They dropped their guns for the smile they
gave,
An' ran away with them all!

But—such is the wonder of Christmas land—
When in the morning light,
The children woke from the Christmas
dreams,
There stood the soldiers bright;
And the dolls were smiling their sweetest
smiles,
And they said: "From our land so true
The soldiers brought us a thousand miles
To the home and the hearts of you!"
—F. L. Stanton.

No Paper Next Week.

The employees of THE PRESS have faithfully
served it another twelve months and richly
merit a holiday. So that they may enjoy the
Christmas festivities we notify our readers
that no paper will be issued from this office
next week. Our subscribers will get their
fifty-two numbers and the printers will not
be "ducked" a cent, and everybody, we hope,
will have a good, old-fashioned Christmas.

A merry Christmas and happy New Year
for all our readers!

Attorney Moses Whybark was called to
Cape Girardeau, Tuesday, on professional
business.

Thomas Fowmyer, one of Bollinger's stud-
iest young farmers and a punctual patron of
this Press, called on us Tuesday and drew
a Hicks almanac.

B. F. Looney of Sedgewickville is one of
those farmers who propose to keep himself
posted. This week he had us order the Re-
public and Journal of Agriculture sent to his
address in addition to this Press.

John S. Lane, at the postoffice, has re-
ceived a beautiful stock of fancy Christ-
mas candies, nuts, etc. Give him a call
and look over his stock and be convinced
that he has the finest selection of candies
in town. Cheap, too.

It would be well for every voter in
this county to read the article clipped
from the Fredericktown News in regard
to the condition of a prisoner sent from
this county. Bollinger county is cer-
tainly taking very long chances.

If you guess the correct number of
tablets in the bottle at Jaques' drugstore
you get a \$5 watch or Seth Thomas
clock. A guess with every 25c purchase.

L. M. Linsbaugh of Glen Allen, one of
the oldest and best employees of the Iron
Mountain railroad, made us one of those
pleasant social and business visits Mon-
day morning.

The Little Rock News, commenting on an
item about a New York girl kneading bread
with her gloves on, says: "We need bread
with our pants on; we need bread with our
boots on, and if our subscribers in arrears
don't pay up pretty soon we shall need bread
without anything on."

Rev. Dr. A. B. MacCurdy of Freder-
icktown, who was in the interest of
Mayfield-Smith academy, was in town this
week and visited this Press. Dr.
MacCurdy thinks a sufficient fund can be
obtained by contribution to finish the
hall—about \$900 already pledged—and
is in fine spirits as regards the future of
the school.

Marriage license issued since Dec. 1:
Silas A. Walker and Cynthia P. Hill,
John W. Roe and Emma R. Dougherty,
Emmanuel S. Baker and Florence Hen-
dricks, Marion F. Lincoln and Belle Pat-
ton, William H. James and Dora M.
Stroder, Amos Barker and Malinda Lear,
James H. Martzell and Sophia Sitzes,
William J. Probst and Gonzada DeWitt,
Luther H. Kinder and Bertha A. Fuller,
Horace G. Gilliland and Emma N. Sea-
bough.

Card of Thanks.
To the many friends and neighbors who
rendered such kindly aid and sympathy dur-
ing the last illness and death of our beloved
wife, daughter and mother, Mrs. Alzena
Teeters, we desire to express our gratitude
and thanks. May He who acknowledges the
earnest desire and purpose of every heart
shed such benedictions upon you as shall
bring joy and gladness commensurate with
such noble deeds.

ISHAM TEETERS,
JULIUS WEBB,
MATTIE TEETERS.

The little people in our town are preparing
for some kind of an entertainment at the
Presbyterian church Christmas eve.

County Court Proceedings.

MONDAY, DEC. 20

Court met pursuant to adjournment.
Present: Hon. Jacob J. "Orra", presid-
ing judge; Hons. F. M. Naidler and M. H.
Burton, associate judges; Angus New-
minger, sheriff; J. Monroe Robins, clerk.
Order continue until 4th day of next
regular term the application of James W.
Stepp for deed to sec 13, 14, 15, 16, 17,
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